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THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Commissioner:

Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on February 14, 2006, the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on November 13, 2007, and the Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on January 2, 2009, Applicants enclose Form PTO-1449 citing additional references which were cited in co-pending Application Serial No. 10/529,606 and co-pending Application Serial No. 12/317,028.

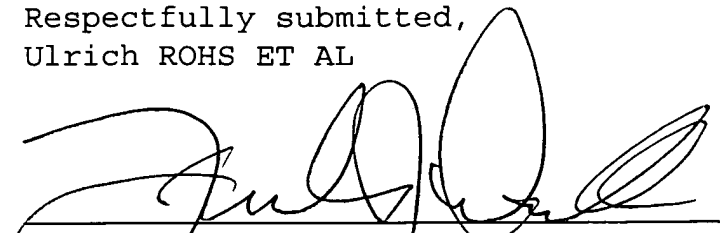
DE 745 147 was cited as a category "A" reference in the International Search Report. DE 745 147 discloses a pressure device. A computer-generated translation of DE 745 147 is enclosed along with a copy of the reference. Also enclosed is a computer-generated translation of JP 2000-291759.

Copies of the U.S. Patent documents are not enclosed pursuant to current Patent and Trademark Office guidelines.

Because this Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before a first Office Action on the merits in the continued examination of the above-identified application, it is believed that no fee is required; however, if a fee should be required for this Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge any required fee, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

It is respectfully requested that the foregoing Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be incorporated into the official file of the present patent application.

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Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 with six (6) references and computer-generated translations of DE 745 147 and JP 2000-291759

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